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I. GENERAL:

A. DURING THE WINTER, THE NORTHERN MONSOON INFLUENCES ALL THE FAR EAST. THE POLAR FRONT IS LOCATED FAR SOUTH OF THE CHINA COASTLINE AND HAS LITTLE INFLUENCE ON SOUTHERN CHINA. OCCASIONAL OUTBREAKS OF COLD, DRY AIR FROM SIBERIA BRING BRIEF PERIODS OF CLEAR SKIES TO SOUTH CHINA, WITH CANTON AND ITS IMMEDIATE VICINITY TO THE NORTH AND EAST EXPERIENCING CONDITIONS FAVORABLE FOR AERIAL PHOTOGRAPHY (CAT I AND II) APPROXIMATELY TWENTY PER CENT OF THE TIME.

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AND THEY ARE LADEN WITH MOISTURE DUE TO THEIR TRAJECTORY OVER THE YELLOW AND EAST CHINA SEAS. AS A RESULT, LOW CLOUDS ARE FREQUENT AT [REDACTED]. CONDITIONS BELOW 1000 FEET AND 24 MILES

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OCCUR 35 TO 45 PER CENT OF THE TIME AT 2000 HRS, INCREASING TO 40 TO 55 PER CENT BY 0200 HRS. THESE LOW CONDITIONS ARE PRIMARILY DUE TO LOW CEILINGS, RATHER THAN VISIBILITY RESTRICTIONS.

25X1A B. [REDACTED] BEING FURTHER TO THE SOUTH, [REDACTED]
25X1A IS NOT INFLUENCED AS MUCH BY THE WINTER MONSOON, AND CEILINGS
25X1A AND VISIBILITY REMAIN ABOVE 1000 FEET AND 2½ MILES 85 PER
25X1A CENT OF THE TIME. [REDACTED] IS ABOVE THESE FIELD CONDITIONS
OVER 90 PER CENT OF THE TIME.

25X1A C. [REDACTED] THE PHILIPPINES HAVE EXCELLENT WEATHER IN
WINTER. [REDACTED] IS ABOVE 1500 FEET AND 3 MILES OVER 99 PER
CENT OF THE TIME.

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